

Applicants: von Bismarck
Appl. No. 09/769,289

Amendments

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 1.

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1. (Thrice Amended) A method of confining a commodity in one of a plurality of composite containers having a plurality of constituents, comprising the steps of:
assembling the constituents into the composite container around the commodity;
providing at least some of the constituents with characteristic indicia not later than in the course of the assembling step;
processing the characteristic indicia into information which is characteristic of each individual assembled container; and
encoding the information upon at least one constituent of the container.
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